House Resolution No. 3971

Whereas, it is with great pride and sincere admiration that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives honor treasured residents of the Show-Me State who have experienced the joys and blessings of a prosperous marriage; and

Whereas, fifty years ago on June 2, 1957, Clyde "Earl" Elliott took the hand of his beautiful bride, Patricia Gray, as they began their commitment to a lifetime of shared love and devotion by exchanging wedding vows during a solemn ceremony at the Pleasant Hill Christian Church in Pleasant Hill, Missouri; and

Whereas, in the years since that heavenly day, Earl and Patricia Elliott have had the pleasure of raising two children, James Earl and Janice Lynn, and the privilege of spoiling four grandchildren, Chuck Chris, Lowell, and Ashlen, and two great-grandchildren, Austin and Mason; and

Whereas, Earl Elliott is known as a dedicated family man who generously provided his loved ones with a comfortable home and secure future through his successful endeavors as a farmer and twenty-five-year employee of AT&T, from which he is now retired; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and outstanding homemaker, Patricia Elliott further distinguished herself by driving a school bus and working as a secretary at Pleasant Hill Middle School for twelve years; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott have enjoyed many hobbies and pastimes over the past half century, a few of which include fishing, sewing, gardening, and living in the same house for fifty years, prior to which is was owned by Earl's grandfather; and

Whereas, Earl and Patricia Elliott, residents of Pleasant Hill, will commemorate the glorious occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary with a special celebration on June 3, 2007, at the very church in which they became husband and wife:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Earl and Patricia Elliott for their tremendous success in achieving a half century of wedded bliss and in wishing them many happy and rewarding years to come; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Clyde "Earl" Elliott.

Offered by	y
	Representative Luke Scavuzzo
	District No. 124
Ninety-for certify that	ton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, urth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do at the above is a true and correct copy of House in No. 3971, adopted June 5, 2007.
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